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Title : **A METHOD FOR DIAGNOSIS OF TUBERCULOSIS BY
: SMEAR MICROSCOPY, CULTURE AND POLYMERASE
: CHAIN REACTION USING PROCESSED CLINICAL
: SAMPLES AND KIT THEREOF**

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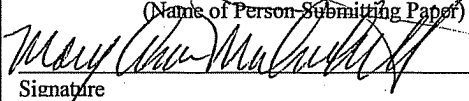
AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on September 4, 2008, Applicants submit this Amendment together with a Petition for a Two-Month Extension of Time and a Request for Continued Examination. This Amendment contains the following:

Amendments to the Claims, which begin on page 2 of this paper; and

Remarks, which begin on page 6 of this paper.

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